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St. James's, May 28.

THIS being His Majesty's Birth-Day, there was a very numerous and splendid Appearance at Court of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction; and at Night there were Illuminations, Bonfires, and other publick Demonstrations of Joy throughout London and Westminster.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 29th Day of *May*, 1723.

PRESENT,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This Day the Right Honourable James Earl of Findlater was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn one of the Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

This Day the Right Honourable Robert Walpole, Esq; Chancellour of the Exchequer, was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

This Day the Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Cobham, was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn Governour of His Majesty's Island of Jersey.

Whitehall, June 1.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Earl of Carlisle to be Constable of the Castle of Windsor; and Keeper of the Parks, Forrests, and Warrens there.

His Majesty has also been pleased to appoint the said Earl of Carlisle to be Governour and Captain of the Castle of Windsor, and the Forts and Fortifications thereunto belonging.

His Majesty has been pleased to direct Letters Patents to pass the Great Seal, for creating Robert Walpole, Esq; Son of the Right Honourable Robert Walpole, Esq; Chancellour of His Majesty's Exchequer, &c. a Peer of Great Britain, by the Name, Style and Title of Baron Walpole of Walpole in the County of Norfolk.

His Majesty having been pleased to grant His most Gracious Pardon to Henry St. John late Lord Viscount Bolingbroke, the said Pardon has passed the Seals.

His Majesty having been pleased to order a Conge d'Elire to pass the Seals for electing the Right Reverend Dr. Richard Reynolds Lord Bishop of Bangor, into the See of Lincoln; the Election was accordingly made by the Dean and Chapter of Lincoln on the 29th of May last.

His Majesty has been pleased to order a Conge d'Elire to pass the Seals, for electing the Reverend Dr. William Baker, into the See of Bangor.

His Majesty has been pleased to order a Conge d'Elire to pass the Seals, for electing the Right Reverend Dr. Samuel Bradford Lord Bishop of Carlisle, into the See of Rochester.

His Majesty has likewise been pleased to appoint the said Lord Bishop of Carlisle to be Dean of the Collegiate Church of St. Peter Westminster.

His Majesty has been pleased to order a Conge d'Elire to pass the Seals, for electing the Reverend Dr. John Waugh, into the See of Carlisle.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Dr. Franklin to succeed the said Dr. Waugh as Dean of Gloucester.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Dr. John Herbert to succeed the Lord Bishop of Carlisle as a Prebendary of Westminster.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Dr. William Bradshaw to be Canon of the Cathedral Church of Christ in Oxford, in the Room of Dr. John Hammond, deceased.

And Dr. John Clarke to succeed as Prebendary of Canterbury, on the Resignation of the said Dr. Bradshaw.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Humphrey Gore, Esq; Major General of his Forces, to be Governour of Kinsale and Charles Fort in the County of Cork, in Ireland.

His Majesty has been pleased to order Letters Patents to pass the Seals, for granting the Dignity of a Baronet of Great Britain to John Frederick of Westminster, Esq;.

His Majesty's special Commissions of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery for the County of Berks, are to be opened at Reading on the 6th Instant, for the Tryal of several Persons (called Blacks from their having committed divers Crimes and Outrages with their Faces blacked or in otherDisguises.) On which Occasion, Mr. Baron Page, Mr. Baron Gilbert, and Mr. Justice Denton, are to sit as Judges. And the Prosecution being carried on at His Majesty's Expence, Mr. Serjeant Cheshyre one of His Majesty's Serjeants at Law, Mr. Willes one of His Majesty's Counsel at Law, Mr. Wearg, and Mr. Hayes, Councellours at Law, go thither as Counsel for His Majesty.